

**TABLE 1—FINAL 2014 AND 2015 OVERFISHING LEVEL (OFL), ACCEPTABLE BIOLOGICAL CATCH (ABC), TOTAL ALLOWABLE CATCH (TAC), INITIAL TAC (ITAC), AND CDQ RESERVE ALLOCATION OF GROUNDFISH IN THE BSAI<sup>1</sup>**  
[Amounts are in metric tons]

Species	Area	2014					2015				
		OFL	ABC	TAC	ITAC <sup>2</sup>	CDQ <sup>3</sup>	OFL	ABC	TAC	ITAC <sup>2</sup>	CDQ <sup>3</sup>
Pollock <sup>4</sup>	BS	2,795,000	1,369,000	1,267,000	1,140,300	126,700	2,693,000	1,258,000	1,258,000	1,132,200	125,800
	AI	42,811	35,048	19,000	17,100	1,900	47,713	39,412	19,000	17,100	1,900
	Bogoslof	13,413	10,059	75	75	0	13,413	10,059	75	75	0
Pacific cod <sup>5</sup>	BS	299,000	255,000	246,897	220,479	26,418	319,000	272,000	251,712	224,779	26,933
	AI	20,100	15,100	6,997	6,248	749	20,100	15,100	6,487	5,793	694
Sablefish	BS	1,584	1,339	1,339	1,105	184	1,432	1,210	1,210	514	45
	AI	2,141	1,811	1,811	1,471	306	1,936	1,636	1,636	348	31
Yellowfin sole	BSAI	259,700	239,800	184,000	164,312	19,688	268,900	248,300	187,000	166,991	20,009
Greenland turbot	BSAI	2,647	2,124	2,124	1,805	n/a	3,864	3,173	3,173	2,697	n/a
	BS	n/a	1,659	1,659	1,410	178	n/a	2,478	2,478	2,106	265
	AI	n/a	465	465	395	0	n/a	695	695	591	0
Arrowtooth flounder	BSAI	125,642	106,599	25,000	21,250	2,675	125,025	106,089	25,000	21,250	2,675
Kamchatka flounder	BSAI	8,270	7,100	7,100	6,035	0	8,500	7,300	7,300	6,205	0
Rock sole	BSAI	228,700	203,800	85,000	75,905	9,095	213,310	190,100	85,000	75,905	9,095
Flathead sole <sup>6</sup>	BSAI	79,633	66,293	24,500	21,879	2,622	77,023	64,127	25,129	22,440	2,689
Alaska plaice	BSAI	66,800	55,100	24,500	20,825	0	66,300	54,700	25,000	21,250	0
Other flatfish <sup>7</sup>	BSAI	16,700	12,400	2,650	2,253	0	16,700	12,400	3,000	2,550	0
Pacific ocean perch	BSAI	39,585	33,122	33,122	29,248	n/a	37,817	31,641	31,641	27,940	n/a
	BS	n/a	7,684	7,684	6,531	0	n/a	7,340	7,340	6,239	0
	EAI	n/a	9,246	9,246	8,257	989	n/a	8,833	8,833	7,888	945
	CAI	n/a	6,594	6,594	5,888	706	n/a	6,299	6,299	5,625	674
	WAI	n/a	9,598	9,598	8,571	1,027	n/a	9,169	9,169	8,188	981
Northern rockfish	BSAI	12,077	9,761	2,594	2,205	0	11,943	9,652	3,000	2,550	0
Rougheye rockfish <sup>8</sup>	BSAI	505	416	416	354	0	580	478	478	406	0
	EBS/EAI	n/a	177	177	150	0	n/a	201	201	171	0
	CAI/WAI	n/a	239	239	203	0	n/a	277	277	235	0
Shortraker rockfish	BSAI	493	370	370	315	0	493	370	370	315	0
Other rockfish <sup>9</sup>	BSAI	1,550	1,163	773	657	0	1,550	1,163	873	742	0
	BS	n/a	690	300	255	0	n/a	690	400	340	0
	AI	n/a	473	473	402	0	n/a	473	473	402	0
Atka mackerel	BSAI	74,492	64,131	32,322	27,971	3,458	74,898	64,477	32,491	29,014	3,477
	EAI/BS	n/a	21,652	21,652	19,335	2,317	n/a	21,769	21,769	19,440	2,329
	CAI	n/a	20,574	9,670	8,635	1,035	n/a	20,685	9,722	8,682	1,040
	WAI	n/a	21,905	1,000	893	107	n/a	22,023	1,000	893	107
Skates	BSAI	41,849	35,383	26,000	22,100	0	39,746	33,545	26,000	22,100	0
Sculpins	BSAI	56,424	42,318	5,750	4,888	0	56,424	42,318	5,750	4,888	0
Sharks	BSAI	1,363	1,022	125	106	0	1,363	1,022	125	106	0
Squids	BSAI	2,624	1,970	310	264	0	2,624	1,970	325	276	0
Octopuses	BSAI	3,450	2,590	225	191	0	3,450	2,590	225	191	0
Total		4,196,553	2,572,819	2,000,000	1,789,338	196,694	4,107,104	2,472,832	2,000,000	1,788,625	196,213

<sup>1</sup>These amounts apply to the entire BSAI management area unless otherwise specified. With the exception of pollock, and for the purpose of these harvest specifications, the Bering Sea (BS) subarea includes the Bogoslof District.

<sup>2</sup>Except for pollock, the portion of the sablefish TAC allocated to hook-and-line and pot gear, and Amendment 80 species, 15 percent of each TAC is put into a reserve. The ITAC for these species is the remainder of the TAC after the subtraction of these reserves. For pollock and Amendment 80 species, ITAC is the non-CDQ allocation of TAC (see footnotes 3 and 5).

<sup>3</sup>For the Amendment 80 species (Atka mackerel, flathead sole, rock sole, yellowfin sole, Pacific cod, and Aleutian Islands Pacific ocean perch), 10.7 percent of the TAC is reserved for use by CDQ participants (see §§ 679.20(b)(1)(i)(C) and 679.31). Twenty percent of the sablefish TAC allocated to hook-and-line gear or pot gear, 7.5 percent of the sablefish TAC allocated to trawl gear, and 10.7 percent of the TACs for Bering Sea Greenland turbot and arrowtooth flounder are reserved for use by CDQ participants (see § 679.20(b)(1)(ii)(B) and (D)). Aleutian Islands Greenland turbot, "other flatfish," Alaska plaice, Bering Sea Pacific ocean perch, northern rockfish, shortraker rockfish, rougheye rockfish, "other rockfish," skates, squids, and octopuses are not allocated to the CDQ program.

<sup>4</sup>Under § 679.20(a)(5)(i)(A)(1), the annual BS subarea pollock TAC after subtracting first for the CDQ directed fishing allowance (10 percent) and second for the incidental catch allowance (3.4 percent), is further allocated by sector for a pollock directed fishery as follows: inshore—50 percent; catcher/processor—40 percent; and motherships—10 percent. Under § 679.20(a)(5)(iii)(B)(2)(i) and (ii), the annual Aleutian Islands subarea pollock TAC, after subtracting first for the CDQ directed fishing allowance (10 percent) and second for the incidental catch allowance (2,000 mt) is allocated to the Aleut Corporation for a pollock directed fishery.

<sup>5</sup>The BS Pacific cod TAC is reduced by 3 percent from the combined BSAI ABC to account for the State of Alaska's (State) guideline harvest level in State waters of the Bering Sea subarea. The AI Pacific cod TAC is reduced by 3 percent from the combined BSAI ABC to account for the State guideline harvest level in State waters of the Aleutian Islands subarea.

<sup>6</sup>"Flathead sole" includes *Hippoglossoides elassodon* (flathead sole) and *Hippoglossoides robustus* (Bering flounder).

<sup>7</sup>"Other flatfish" includes all flatfish species, except for halibut (a prohibited species), flathead sole, Greenland turbot, rock sole, yellowfin sole, arrowtooth flounder, Kamchatka flounder, and Alaska plaice.

<sup>8</sup>"Rougheye rockfish" includes *Sebastes aleutianus* (rougheye) and *Sebastes melanostictus* (blackspotted).

<sup>9</sup>"Other rockfish" includes all Sebastes and Sebastolobus species except for Pacific ocean perch, northern rockfish, dark rockfish, shortraker rockfish, and rougheye rockfish.

**Note:** Regulatory areas and districts are defined at § 679.2 (BS=Bering Sea subarea, AI=Aleutian Islands subarea, EAI=Eastern Aleutian district, CAI=Central Aleutian district, WAI=Western Aleutian district.)